

Exact Language

1715 Self-Assessment of a Pharmacy by the Pharmacist-in-Charge

- (a) The pharmacist-in-charge of each pharmacy as defined under section 4029 or section 4037 of the Business and Professions Code shall complete a self-assessment of the pharmacy's compliance with federal and state pharmacy law. The assessment shall be performed before ~~March 31~~ July 1 of every odd-numbered year. The primary purpose of the self-assessment is to promote compliance through self-examination and education.
- (b) In addition to the self-assessment required in (a), the pharmacist-in-charge shall complete a self-assessment within 30 days whenever:
 - (1) A new pharmacy permit has been issued, or
 - (2) There is a change in the pharmacist-in-charge, and he or she becomes the new pharmacist-in-charge of a pharmacy.
- (c) The components of this assessment shall be on Form 17I-29 (Rev ~~9/98~~ 1/01) entitled "Community Pharmacy and Practice Self-Assessment (Including Hospital Pharmacy That Dispenses Prescriptions)" or Form 17I-30 (Rev ~~9/98~~ 1/01) entitled "Hospital Inpatient Pharmacy and Practice Self-Assessment" which are hereby incorporated by reference to evaluate compliance with federal and state laws and regulations regarding: facility condition and security, drug stock, posting of certificates and notices, pharmacist-in-charge obligations, intern pharmacist activities, pharmacy technician activities, general pharmacy practice, corresponding responsibility for filling controlled substances provisions, prescription requirements, prescription labeling and dispensing, refill authorization, prescription transfers, confidentiality of prescriptions, record keeping requirements for all dangerous drugs, record keeping requirements for controlled substances, automated dispensing devices, repackaging for use by the pharmacy, compounding unapproved drugs for future use or prescriber office use, electronic transmission of prescriptions.
- (d) Each self-assessment shall be kept on file in the pharmacy for three years after it is performed.

NOTE: Authority cited: Section 4005, Business and Professions Code. Reference: Sections 4021, 4022, ~~4027~~, 4029, 4030, 4037, 4038, 4040, 4050, 4052, 4070, 4081, 4101, 4105, 4113, 4115, 4119, 4133, 4305, 4330, ~~and 4332~~, and 4333, Business and Professions Code.